

## Biography Command Sergeant Major Thomas G. Pacheco Jr.

CSM Thomas G. Pacheco Jr was born in the suburbs of Chicago, Illinois and raised in Olton, Texas he enlisted in the United States Army on 04 March of 1994.

CSM Pacheco has had the privilege and honor to serve in several units throughout his career path to include: Communications Section NCOIC 84<sup>th</sup> Trans Co Hunter Army Airfield, GA, Squad Leader 84<sup>th</sup> Trans Co Hunter Army Airfield, GA, Cargo Section Sergeant, HHC 2-9 Infantry, Camp Casey, Korea, Platoon Sergeant 40<sup>th</sup> Trans Co, FT Lewis, Wa, Platoon Sergeant 109<sup>th</sup> Trans Co, Navistar, Kuwait, Platoon Sergeant 68<sup>th</sup> Trans Co, Coleman Barracks, Germany, Truck Master 68<sup>th</sup> Trans Co, Al Asad Iraq, Senior Drill Sergeant Bravo Co, 2-47 Infantry Battalion FT. Benning, GA, First Sergeant Bravo Co, 2-47 Infantry Battalion FT. Benning Ga, Transportation Operations NCOIC 382<sup>nd</sup> TTOE TF Titan, Camp Buehring, Kuwait, S3 Operations NCOIC 419<sup>th</sup> Joint Movement Control Battalion Bagram Afghanistan. First Sergeant 97<sup>th</sup> Trans Co (HB), 10<sup>th</sup> Trans BN, First Sergeant 155<sup>th</sup> ICTC, 53<sup>rd</sup> MCB, S3 NCOIC 53<sup>rd</sup> MCB, 7<sup>th</sup> Expeditionary Brigade, Battalion Sergeant Major 834<sup>th</sup> Transportation Battalion, 596<sup>th</sup> Transportation Brigade and Installation Sergeant Major Military Ocean Terminal Concord, currently assigned 10<sup>th</sup> Transportation Battalion (Terminal), Command Sergeant Major.

CSM Pacheco's military training and education include Basic Training, Advanced Individual Training, Primary Leadership Development Course, Advance Leaders Course, Senior Leaders Course, Airborne School, Air Assault School, Drill Sergeant School and Level 1 Modern Army Combative Certification, Master Resilience Trainer Course. He is a graduate of the United States Army Sergeants Major Academy Class #65.

His awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal (1 OLC), Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (1 OLC), Army Commendation Medal (4 OLC), Army Achievement Medal with (2 OLC), Army Good Conduct Medal with (1 SLV knot), National Defense Service Medal with Bronze Star, Iraqi Campaign Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal, NATO Medal, NCO Professional Development Ribbon with Numeral 3, Army Service Ribbon, Overseas Ribbon, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Drill Sergeant Badge, Combat Action Badge, Parachutist Badge, and Air Assault Badge and the Ancient Order of St. Christopher. CSM Pacheco is a member of the prestigious Sergeant Audie Murphy and SGT Morales Clubs.

CSM Pacheco is blessed to be married 25 years to his beautiful wife Maribel. They have two wonderful children: Cassandra 25 and Tomas V, 22, who is currently a second generation Airborne Soldier and serving with 3<sup>rd</sup> Special Operations Group, Ft. Bragg NC. He is also blessed with his oldest daughter Alyssa (27) and Granddaughter Alena 7 years of age.